DECISION MEMORANDUM

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FROM: TAYLOR R. BROOKS

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DATE: JANUARY 25, 2022

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF AVISTA UTILITIES PETITION FOR AN

EXTENSION TO FILE ITS 2023 ELECTRIC INTEGRATED RESOURCE

PLAN; CASE NO. AVU-E-22-01.

On January 4, 2022, Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities ("the Company") petitioned the Commission for a two-month extension to file its 2023 electric integrated resource plan ("IRP"), such that it would be filed June 1, 2023, rather than April 1, 2023. The Company requested that its Application be processed through modified procedure.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure. Staff recommends that the Commission set a public comment deadline of February 24, 2022, and Company reply deadline of March 3, 2022.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure with comments due by February 24, 2022, and Company reply comments by March 3, 2022?

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Deputy Attorney General

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